

RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

The closing exercises of Wakefield high school will occur on Friday the 8th inst.

The young ladies of Peace Institute are returning to their homes by every train. A large number left yesterday.

It is authoritatively stated that there will be about two hundred and fifty Raleigh people at Morehead this summer.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the State Dental Association will be held in the city of Wilmington on the 25th, 26th and 27th of June.

The penitentiary was on a bigger boom yesterday than any thing else. It received twelve new convicts—nine from Iredell county and three from Guilford.

There will be a special meeting of Manteo Lodge, No. 8, on Friday night, June 8th, at 8 o'clock. Work in the initiatory and first degrees. All the members are urged to be present.

The commissioner of agriculture has ordered that Bangh's Acidulated Phosphate Rock be withdrawn from sale in this State on account of not coming up to the guaranteed standard of analysis.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting this afternoon, at the residence of Mr. W. H. Worth, No. 510 South Salisbury street. A cordial invitation is extended to ladies who wish to join the organization.

The board of aldermen will meet on Friday night. There are two things the board might do with great benefit to the city. One of them is to take charge of the instruments of the Raleigh cornet band, and the other matter will be laid before them at the next meeting.

Next Tuesday night is the time for the regular monthly meeting of the chamber of commerce. Have any of the committees held meetings, and will any of them have anything to report? What's the matter with the hotel committee? They are the people who are being looked at now.

A branch office of the Syracuse, N. Y., Building and Loan Association was organized by the colored people in mass meeting in the court house last night. The following officers were elected: Rev. C. H. King, president; W. H. Davis, vice-president; E. H. Hunter, secretary and treasurer; E. A. Johnson, attorney.

A feature of the pleasant excursion to Tarboro on Tuesday of this week was a lively baseball game. The Raleigh team had for its manager Mr. Walter Parker. The players were Messrs. Jordan, Noell, Perry, Wynne, Beavers, Nowell, Upchurch, Stedman and Prof. Weatherly of the A. & M. college. They played an interesting game with the Tarboro boys, defeating them by a score of 22 to 14.

The types got on something of a jam-boree yesterday morning, and misinterpreted Mr. Swindell, of the Big Racket Store, in his daily communication to the public. That gentleman never states anything but facts; and when the types tell other than facts it is no fault of Mr. Swindell's. He was telling how a young lady could get three dresses for \$1.05 yesterday, and the types made him say \$1.25, but he didn't say it. The same announcement is in this paper.

Closing of Evangelist Smith's Meetings.

The series of gospel tent meetings which have been recently conducted by Evangelist F. L. Smith, closed last Sunday night. As usual, Mr. Smith delivered an excellent sermon, a large congregation being present.

Before the meeting closed Sunday night the evangelist had a large number of cards distributed to the people present, and requested all who had accepted salvation to sign and hand them to him after the services had closed. This request was responded to by a very large number, who signified that they had been greatly blessed during the meetings.

At the conclusion of the services, large numbers approached Mr. Smith and his wife and bade them good bye, and were profuse in expressions of their appreciation of the evangelist's efforts while here to lead people into the paths of better ways, of which many had availed themselves.

Mr. Smith left yesterday for his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., carrying with him the good wishes and prayers of many of the good people of the City of Oaks.

A Rare Old Document.

The venerable Dr. Robt. Burwell has in his possession a rare old document in the shape of a newspaper. It is an original copy of the Ulster County Gazette. It is in heavy mourning over the death of Geo. Washington. The date of the paper is January 4th, 1800, and it contains news from Europe "as late as the 30th of October, 1800."

It also has an account of Washington's funeral. On the same page appears a beautiful poem "By a Young Lady" on the death of Washington. The paper has numerous quaint advertisements, and is altogether a rare and valued relic of "ye olden time."

Raleigh Male Academy.

The closing exercises of the Raleigh Male Academy, Messrs. Morson & Denson Principals, will take place at the institution on Friday, June 8th, at 11 a. m. with the following programme: Prayer by Rev. J. W. Carter, D. D.; Address by Mr. Eugene Harrell; Report of Distinctions Conferred; Annual Oration and Delivery of Honors, by Rev. J. H. Oordon. The patrons of the school and friends of education are cordially invited to attend.

Weather Report.

Raleigh yesterday: Maximum temperature 90; minimum temperature 66; rainfall 0.00 inches.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity for to-day: Fair weather, continuing warm. Conditions favorable for thunder storm to-night.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Forecast for Virginia: Fair; continued high temperature; southerly winds.

For North Carolina: Fair; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

COMING AND GOING.

Some of The Folks You Know and Their Doings.

Prof. W. H. Michael arrived in the city last night.

Mr. W. H. Pace returned from Knoxville yesterday.

Miss Male Southerland is the guest of Miss Gussie Carroll.

Gen. W. R. Cox and his little children are visiting in the city.

Dr. F. J. Haywood left yesterday for Greensboro, Alabama.

Miss Mary Lily Kenan is here visiting at Col. Thos. S. Kenan's.

Miss Fannie Burwell, of Peace Institute, went up to Chapel Hill yesterday.

Miss Irene McKay and Miss Maude Flemming went up to Chapel Hill yesterday.

Mr. J. D. Boushall has returned from a delightful visit to Beaufort and Morehead.

Mrs. C. Durham and little children left for Durham yesterday to visit friends.

Maj. E. G. Harrell went up to Chapel Hill yesterday morning to attend the University Commencement.

Mrs. Jno. C. Winder and Miss Octavia Winder, with a party of friends, went up to the University yesterday.

Rev. J. J. Hall left yesterday for Hendersonville, where he will deliver the annual address before Judson college.

Rev. L. L. Nash has gone to Littleton to attend the commencement exercises, and a meeting of the board of trustees of Littleton Female college.

Mrs. E. H. Lee, Mrs. W. H. Pace, Mrs. S. P. Child, Misses Helen Fowle and Bessie Tucker left this morning for Chapel Hill.

Among the arrivals at the Yarbore yesterday were: W. H. Day, Weldon; Jno. M. Covington, Laurinburg; D. Gilliam, Tarboro; T. H. Bain, Goldsboro; T. J. Hadley, Wilson.

Mr. T. P. Jerman is the Raleigh representative of the Carolina Veneer works, whose announcement is in today's CHRONICLE, and is ready to talk about fruit baskets to shippers.

Mrs. B. F. Park and daughter, Miss Lovie, with Master Johnnie, returned home yesterday from Richmond and points North, having witnessed the unveiling of the Lee monument and visited friends and relatives.

Prof. G. D. Meares, of the Department of Music, in Kingston college, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend the summer here. He is thinking of making Raleigh his permanent home in connection with a school of music.

Mr. W. R. Allen, of Wayne county, who is prominently spoken of in connection with the Judgeship of this District, is in the city attending the U. S. Circuit Court. He reports that politics are beginning to get lively in Wayne. The county convention will be held in Goldsboro on Saturday (this week), and the Congressional convention will be held in Clinton on July 23d.

The Flag of the Lost Cause.

There is in the show window of Messrs. W. C. & A. B. Stronach something which is attracting much attention and exciting much admiration. It is a handsome painting of the old Confederate battle-flag—the cross-bars and stars. The painting is by Miss Mollie Nixon, of Raleigh, and it is beautifully conceived and executed.

The flag is apparently floating among the clouds, and looks to be what it is—a flag, but a flag of no country now.

The painting will make a very handsome addition to the ornaments of any Southern home.

Miss Nixon will paint them for any parties who may want them, at a very reasonable price, and will donate half the proceeds to the fund for the North Carolina Soldiers' Home.

Real Estate Transfer.

A deed for the transfer of the following real estate was registered yesterday: Clement Dowd, receiver of the State National Bank, to Evans & Martin; lot on New Bern avenue 78x165 feet, for \$135.

Killed by an Electric Car.

[By United Press.]

BOSTON, Mass., June 4.—Last evening George, the seven-year-old son of John A. Horner, while playing in Shawnee avenue, was run down by an electric car and killed. The bell was rung, but he failed to hear it and the motor man had not time to stop the car, although he applied the brake promptly.

Oregon Elects a Democrat for Governor.

[By United Press.]

PORTLAND, Ore., June 4.—The Republican state central committee estimates the majority of Penoyer (Dem.) for Governor, at 3,000. The entire State Republican ticket is elected, with the exception of Governor.

Street Car Men on a Strike.

[By United Press.]

COLUMBUS, O., June 4.—The two hundred and fifty employees of the Consolidated Street railway went on strike this morning for an increase in wages. They demanded sixteen cents an hour for conductors, fifteen cents for drivers, and \$1.50 a day for barn men.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Good Advertising, or Rather the Good of Advertising.

Last Sunday morning we stated in the papers that we would open near our Fayetteville street door a new and special department for the sale of certain lines of dress goods, and it has been wonderful to us, ourselves, the success that has attended this announcement. Our people do read advertisements.

In this connection we beg to state that this special "decided bargain sale" of these dress goods will be continued, and that several attractive additions will be made to it. Come and see them.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

HOW TO KILL YOUR TOWN.

And Keep it Dead—Ten Successful Rules.

This is an era of "booming" Southern cities. While many people are actively at work bringing in new capital and new enterprises in this great upbuilding process, there yet remain a few persons in each city who not only refuse to aid in anyway in improvements, but desire to engage more actively in the "down-pulling" business.

To these latter persons we offer the following suggestions and infallible rules by which they may effectively keep their city from growing and may drive all enterprise away from them so that it may build up other places:

1. If there are any manufacturing enterprises now in your city or being built, be very careful not to let any information of them get into your city papers, for it might let somebody in other places think that your city is yet alive. Besides, to write and talk about your factories might possibly advertise some persons or corporations who had not paid for such advertising, and that would be very wrong, even though your city is benefited by it.

2. Take big blocks of stock in all "Land Companies," &c., that are formed in other places. This reduces the surplus and working capital in your community and prevents the establishment of industries in your city. These other towns will never take any stock in a "Land and Improvement Company" if formed in your town, so you will not be troubled in having any of your outside investments returned to your own community.

A few hundred dollars invested in your town in a "Land Company" can be made to pay you as well as the same amount invested in any "booming" city.

3. If you have factories in your place don't think of buying any of your stock from them as it might help them to succeed and thus your town would grow. Buy your stock from penitentiary concerns all over the country—the product of your own mills may be as good or better, but don't ever consider that.

4. When you need any supplies of dry goods, groceries, hardware, clothing, books, furniture, musical instruments, wagons, buggies, &c., &c., anything and everything, be sure that you send your orders to the north direct instead of patronizing your home dealers. You may be in business yourself, making a living, and perhaps getting rich on the people of your town, but you must not patronize them in turn because they might also succeed and thus improve your town.

5. When you go away from home don't let anybody catch you "talking up" for your city. Let other people talk for their towns but you be a clam, for any body is as ready to make some body desire to settle in your town with some money and start a factory to give your poor people work. It is much better to support your poor people by supposed charity than to give them employment in factories. You may be away from home this summer, but don't let any body know where you live or that your town has any advantages for residence or business.

6. If you have vacant lots keep your grip on them. Don't sell them for then you can't keep your city from growing. If any body is as ready to make some body desire to settle in your town with some money and start a factory to give your poor people work. It is much better to support your poor people by supposed charity than to give them employment in factories. You may be away from home this summer, but don't let any body know where you live or that your town has any advantages for residence or business.

7. If you should at any time so far forget yourself as to be induced to take stock in any factory established in your city, be sure to always speak of the industry as a "factory," and never say that you are not likely ever to go to it again. This shakes confidence in the enterprises and encourages other people to also give them a kick. Then when you have made them fail you may have the pleasure of saying "I told you so."

8. Constantly bear in mind that enterprising men of other towns are only "cranks" when they are trying to build up your place. If they seem about to succeed in establishing some needed industry be prompt to fight them, for they must be put down at once, at all hazards or they may ruin your town by increasing its prosperity and by bringing in more wealth.

9. If you should have occasion to speak of your place at home or abroad always allude to it as being "dead." You may be the main cause of the funeral but strangers will not know this. Home folks, however, will know you as the chronic croaker and town killer.

10. Don't attend any meetings of business men, your Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade, for somebody might slander you by saying that you were getting interested in building up your town. This accusation would ruin your reputation as a town killer and growler. Besides, somebody may have advocated a measure at some meeting of your Chamber of Commerce which you did not like and that is sufficient cause why you should not attend any more meetings. You can show your constantly disgruntled state of mind by making your absence conspicuous.

There are people in every community who are faithfully following these rules. If any such persons in North Carolina should recognize themselves in this mirror it may not yet be too late to turn from the error of their ways and be converted to a new life of usefulness in their communities.

HAY SEED.

Challies. Challies—Cotton Challies.

We have an immense stock of Cotton Challies in the most beautiful yards and colors, at only 5 cents per yard. Also, we can give you as pretty a dress at 3 cents per yard as it has ever been your good fortune to wear. These 3c. lawns are lovely as well as cheap. Who ever heard of a lady with a street costume on that cost but thirty cents for the entire outfit?

We can, also, supply you with a parasol fully as cheap, in proportion, as the 3 cent. Lawns or the 5 cent. Challies. You should get a 5 cent. Challie and a 3 cent. Lawn—you will need them in July and August. We have also 4,000 yards dress goods. Grenadines at 2 1/2c. yard. Now, ladies, put these figures together, and see what three dresses will cost: One dress, 50 cents; one dress, 30 cents; one dress, 25 cents. Added together makes the three dresses \$1.05.

At SWINDELL'S.

CARY ITEMS.

Two young men were up before Mayor Spencer on Monday for assault and battery, but submitted, and escaped with a small fine and the costs.

Rev. Dr. N. B. Cobb and Rev. M. O. Thomas left Tuesday afternoon for Chapel Hill to attend the commencement exercises. They are both graduates of the University and go up to attend the meeting of the Alumni association.

The North Carolina Plow company is gradually enlarging its plant and is making shipments of wagons to all sections of North Carolina, and to other States. We wonder that factories of other kinds do not spring up here. A spoke and handle factory, a saah, door and blind factory and a cotton factory, are much needed, and would do well here.

Ordination and Confirmation.

[Oxford Day.]

Rt. Rev. T. B. Lyman, bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina, preached a strong and eloquent sermon at St. Stephens' Episcopal church yesterday morning. He also ordained as deacons Mr. Julius M. Horner, of Oxford, and Dr. Drake, of Minnesota. The church was crowded.

At the evening services five persons were confirmed.

Death of the Reaper Still is Reaping.

Mrs. E. A. Porter, relict of the late Henry Porter, died yesterday at four o'clock, at the residence of her son, Mr. John Porter, near the city. The funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock, from Edenton Street church.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Two people who are willing to occupy the same room can find summer board at a cool and pleasant place in a private family. Terms reasonable. Apply at the CHRONICLE office.

I want a live agent in every town in North Carolina. Big money to business. Very little capital required. Boy 16 to 20 years old preferred. Light work and big profits. Address

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Summer Shirts.

You should see our stock of gauze undershirts and top shirts for men, boys and ladies. We have a big stock and can sell you much cheaper than anyone else in Raleigh. See them at Swindell's.

See our parasols; see our slides and buck's; see our laces and white goods; see our stationery; see our shoes; see our scarfs; see our hosiery; see our jewelry; see our soaps and perfume; and be sure to see our millinery.

At SWINDELL'S.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear Department.

Yesterday, Monday, June 2d, we began our annual June sales of ladies' muslin underwear.

Those who recall the success of those sales last June will appreciate the bargains that will be offered this year—when we state that by far better goods for less money will be offered.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

Is Oxford Improvement stock good? Certainly! What is it based upon? On 500 acres of land lying in and adjoining the town of Oxford; on 400 acres more suburban property, controlled by the company, and on the 500 acres of mineral lands and also fine bright tobacco lands, upon which the company has options.

How much stock is there? Three thousand shares of \$50 each. And lots are given away! To each holder of two shares a lot of 50x150 feet will be given. Where will these lots lie? In desirable parts of the land right at the town and on continued and parallel streets. Will these lots be worth the price paid for the stock? Yes.

Every holder of two shares gets a lot? Yes, except the original subscribers. By resolution of the board of directors they excluded themselves from this privilege for the benefit of other subscribers.

Why was the company started? To advance Oxford, make it the pride of the Golden Belt, and to make money for the shareholders.

Will it succeed? It will. 1500 lot-holders will not let it sleep. Tobacco is as good to make a town of as iron. It employs more hands. It is a luxury that is a necessity, and trade may be even more dull, but the world will chew and smoke.

How do you pay for it? \$10 down, balance in five years when called for, not often than once a month. And the doubting Thomases who had bought Arizona deserts and Florida swamps without a question, said you make me a receipt for a few shares; make it four or six. I don't care. I take it for the baby. And in that way he got even on his outside investments.

W. C. Reed, Secretary, Oxford, N. C., gives full information, or Walter Borden, Raleigh, N. C.

LEMON ELIXIR.

A Pleasant Lemon Drink.

For biliousness and constipation, take Lemon Elixir.

For indigestion and foul stomach, take Lemon Elixir.

For sick and nervous headaches, take Lemon Elixir.

For sleeplessness and nervousness, take Lemon Elixir.

For loss of appetite and debility, take Lemon Elixir.

For fevers, chills and malaria, take Lemon Elixir.

Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir will not fail you in any of the above named diseases, all of which arise from a torpid diseased liver, stomach, kidneys or bowels.

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After ten years of great suffering from indigestion with great nervous prostration, biliousness, disordered kidneys and constipation, I have been cured by Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir and am now a well man.

Rev. C. C. DAVIS,
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THE WORLD'S COMMERCE.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Co. in their cotton circular to-night say: The Liverpool market this morning opened easy at 2-64 decline; but by 2 o'clock had recovered the decline and was steady at last evening's prices. Tenders 7,000 bales. This market after first call sold up to 12-13 for August. A slight decline in Liverpool caused recession here, which made August sell down to 12-04, and reacting again closed at 12-13.

Receipts at our ports to-day estimated at 5,000 bales, against 1,093 bales last week.

The spot market closed quiet; middling uplands 12 5-16; sales 210 bales. Futures closed weak and 16 to 13 points as follows:

June	12 23-34
July	12 28-38
August	12 12-13
September	11 27-28
October	10 73-74
November	10 67-68
December	10 56-57
January	10 59-60
February	10 63-64

Liverpool the spot cotton closed steady; middlings 6 9-16; sales 8,000 bales.

Cotton.

City.	Sale.	Tons.	Mk't.	Ret.	Ex.
Galveston,	Nom'l	11 5-8	2	...	...
Steady	12 1-2	6	...	...	...
Boston,	Quiet	12 3-4	395	1010	...
Wilmington,	Steady	11 1-2	...	...	...
Philadelphia,	Steady	12 1-4	...	...	...
Savannah,	Quiet	11 7-8	86	...	...
New Orleans	Full	11 7-8	44	5127	...
Mobile,	Nom'l	11 3-4	22	...	...
Memphis,	150	11 3-4	27	...	...
Augusta,	40	11 7-8	33	...	...
St. Louis,	18	Steady	11 3-4	27	...
Louisville,	Steady	12 1-4	...	...	...
Baltimore,	Nom'l	12 3-4	...	...	...

New York Produce Market.

FLOUR—Closed steady but trading is light; A grades winter 2.00@2.50; do. spring 1.50@1.75; superfine winter 2.40@2.85; do. spring 2.50@3.00; Southern steady; trade and family extra 3.15@4.55.

WHEAT—Closed dull, weak and lower; spot sales No. 2 red winter 94 1/2@95; No. 2 red winter 95 1/2@96; No. 2 mixed 41 1/2@42; No. 2 mixed June 40 1/2.

OATS—Active and firm; spot sales No. 1 white 27 1/2; No. 2 mixed June 33 1/2.

PORK—Dull; mess 13.75@14.25.

LARD—Closed firm; July 6.25.

SUGAR—Refined active and strong; cut loaf crushed 6.94; powdered 6.56; granulated 6.4.

COFFEE—Closed steady; fair Rio cargoes 19 1/2.

Baltimore Produce Market.

COTTON—Nominal. Middling 13 1/2.

FLOUR—Dull; Howard Street and Western superfine 2.25@2.75; do. extra 3.00@4.00; do. family 4.25@4.55; city miller's brand extra 4.75@5.00; winter wheat quiet; patent 5.00@5.20; spring do. do. 5.10@5.50; do. do. straight 4.00@5.00; do. do. extra 4.10@4.60.

CORN—Southern active and firm; Fultz 55@57; Longberry 56@58; steamers No. 2 red 57; Western steady; No. 2 winter red spot and June 58 1/2@60.

CORN—Southern firm; white 42 1/2; yellow 40 1/2@41 1/2; Western firm; mixed spot 41; June 40 1/2 asked.

OATS—Quiet and firm; Southern 31 1/2@32; do. white 33 1/2@35; do. do. mixed 32 1/2@33 1/2; graded No. 2 white 33 1/2.

RYE—Dull; choice 63@65.

PROVISIONS—Quiet; mess pork, old 12 1/2; new 13 1/2; bulk mutton, loose shoulders 5 1/2; long clear and clear ribs 6 1/2; sugar pickled shoulders 6 1/2; sugar cured smoked shoulders 7 1/2; hams small 11 1/2@12 1/2; Lard, refined,